# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
# PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS
# LOK SABHA

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COLONIES UNDER PNG SUPPLY
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**Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:**

(a) the criteria for selection of colonies for Piped Natural Gas Supply;

(b) whether the Government has allocated funds for piped natural gas supply to residential colonies in Delhi/ New Delhi from Indraprastha Gas Limited during current financial year;

(c) if so, the details of the funds released / to be released to I.G.L., colony-wise; and

(d) the names of the remaining colonies likely to be covered under the PNG supply in the coming years?

## Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM & NATURAL GAS (SHRI DINSHA PATEL)

(a): New colonies in NCT of Delhi are covered by the Indraprastha Gas Limited (IGL) every year depending on the possibilities of expansion of Piped Natural Gas (PNG) network and demand/ response from prospective customers besides the technical feasibility.

CPWD colonies located in Delhi form a substantial part of IGL's yearly plans. The CPWD colonies are covered as per the advice and the advance payment received from concerned division of CPWD in the beginning of every year.

(b): Government allocates funds only for providing Piped Natural Gas (PNG) connections in the CPWD colonies located in N.C.T of Delhi every year. During current financial year also, CPWD has allocated funds for selected colonies for provision of PNG connections.

(c): Office of Director General of Works, CPWD has allocated funds for provision of PNG connections by CPWD for the following colonies during the current

FY 2006-07:

| Name of the Colony | Amount (Rs./ Lacs) |
|---|---|
| Sriniwaspuri | 71.45 |
| R. K. Puram Sector 9 & Sector 12 | 72.55 |
| Laxmibai Nagar | 44.95 |
| Moti Bagh (NW) | 67.15 |
| Moti Bagh (SW) | 99.65 |
| Netaji Nagar | 54.70 |
| Sadiq Nagar | 80.80 |
| Andrews Ganj | 61.40 |

(d): Further coverage of CPWD colonies by IGL in the coming years for PNG supply shall be made depending on advice and release of payment by CPWD, to IGL.

Private colonies shall be covered depending on response of customers & availability of permissions from various land owning agencies for laying gas pipelines to connect the colonies from IGL's existing pipelines.